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amendment

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Amendments to the Claims are as follows:

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Claims 1-6 Cancelled

- sphere
- round

7. (New) A liquid crystal display comprising:

a pair of substrates which oppose each other with a liquid crystal layer therebetween;

a light source provided on an exterior of one of the substrates;

and

[a transfective layer comprising] at least an organic film and a metallic reflection film disposed on an inner face of one of the substrates,

wherein a plurality of concave portions are contiguously formed on a surface of the organic film, an inner surface of each concave portion constituting a part of a spherical surface,

wherein a depth of the concave portions is in the range of 0.1 to 3 μm , an inclination angle of the inner surface of each concave portion is in the range of -30 degrees to +30 degrees, and a pitch of adjoining concave portions is in the range of 5 to 50 μm .

8. (New) A liquid crystal display comprising:

a pair of substrates which oppose each other with a liquid crystal layer therebetween;

a light source provided on an exterior of one of the substrates;

and

[a translector comprising] at least a resin base and a metallic reflection film disposed on an outer face of one of the substrates;

wherein a plurality of concave portions are contiguously formed on a surface of the resin base, an inner surface of each concave portion constituting a part of a spherical surface;

wherein a depth of the concave portions is in the range of 0.1 to 3 μm , an inclination angle of the inner surface of each concave portion is in the range of -30 degrees to +30 degrees, and a pitch of adjoining concave portions is in the range of 5 to 50 μm .

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9. (New) A liquid crystal display according to Claim 8, wherein the metallic reflection film has a thickness of 80 to 500 Å.

$$0.5 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m to } 50 \times 10^{-6}$$
$$80 \times 10^{-10} \text{ to } 500 \times 10^{-10}$$

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A liquid crystal display comprising:

a pair of substrates which oppose each other with a liquid crystal layer therebetween;

a light source provided on the exterior of one of the substrates; and

at least an organic film, a metallic reflection film, an overcoat film, an electrode layer, and an alignment film formed on the inner face of one of the substrates,

wherein many concaves are contiguously formed on a surface of the organic film, the inner surface of each concave constituting a part of a spherical surface, and the metallic reflection film has a thickness of 80 to 500 Å.

2. A liquid crystal display according to Claim 1, wherein the metallic reflection film has a thickness of 80 to 100 Å.

3. A liquid crystal display according to Claim 1, wherein the depth of the concaves is in the range of 0.1 to 3 μm , the inclination angle of the inner surface of each concave is in the range of -30 degrees to +30 degrees, and the pitch of the adjoining concaves is in the range of 5 to 50 μm .

4. A transflector comprising:

a base having many concaves contiguously formed on a surface thereof, the inner surface of each concave constituting a part of a spherical surface; and

a metallic reflection film formed on the surface of the base,

wherein the depth of the concaves is in the range of 0.1 to 3 μm , the inclination angle of the inner surface of each concave is in the range of -30 degrees to +30 degrees, the pitch of the adjoining concaves is in the range of 5 to 50 μm , and the reflection film has a thickness of 80 to 500 Å.

5. A transflector according to Claim 4, wherein the reflection film has a thickness of 80 to 100 Å.

6. A liquid crystal display comprising a transflector according to Claim 4.